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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM TO RECOVER  
RESOURCES IN THE EVENT OF DATA  
BURST LOSS WITHIN WDM-BASED  
OPTICAL-SWITCHED NETWORKS



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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 AND 1.121**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 3, 2007, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.